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Easter Sugarcraft and Customer Service	Join our Easter-themed sugarcraft course and create Easter egg treats, mini Easter cakes and adorable bunny cone cakes. Learn decorative sugarcraft techniques, build customer service skills, and put them into practice at a bake sale supporting John Eastwood Hospice. Plus, gain a Level 1 Customer Service Skills qualification while making a difference in your local community.	ATTIC Kitchen, Sutton Community Academy, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BW	Thursdays, 9am - 3pm Starting 7th January - 15th April 2027	26ASF094
Building Confidence and Resilience Skills for 18-24 Years	Join our inclusive and friendly tutor, Millie, for this 6-week course designed to help you build confidence, resilience and self-belief. Through fun and supportive weekly activities, you'll develop skills to help you feel more confident and prepared to progress into employment, volunteering or further learning. You'll also have the opportunity to achieve a Level 1 Award in Stress Awareness during the course.	ATTFE College Lifelong Learning Space, 15 Kingsway, Kirkby in Ashfield, NG17 7BB	Tuesdays, 11am - 2pm Starting 5th January - 9th February 2027	26ASF174
Home Education: Healthy Eating & Cooking	This fun and interactive course is designed for home-educated families to explore the basics of healthy eating while developing practical cooking skills and trying a variety of recipes together. Parents/carers must attend alongside their child and will work towards a Level 1 Award in Understanding Nutrition and Health throughout the course.	Kirkby Sales and Exchange, 78-80 Station St, Kirkby in Ashfield, NG17 7AP	Thursdays, 12pm - 3pm Starting 7th January until 18th March 2027	26ASF083

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Level 1 Award in Building Personal Resilience	The Level 1 Award in Building Personal Resilience helps learners develop the personal skills needed to overcome challenges, adapt to change, and maintain positive wellbeing. This qualification focuses on building confidence, self-awareness, motivation, and emotional resilience to support personal and professional success.	ATTFE College's Community Hub, Idlewells Shopping Centre, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BN	Mondays, 9.30am - 2.30pm Starting 13th - 27th January 2027	26ASF117
Healthy Eating & Cooking	You'll explore the fundamentals of healthy eating while taking part in practical cooking activities, giving you the opportunity to develop new skills and put your learning into practice. Throughout the course, you'll work towards a Level 1 Award in Nutrition and Health, completing workbook activities with guidance and support from your tutor. This course is open to the wider community, so you do not need to have a child attending the school to take part. All resources are provided.	Brierley Forest Primary and Nursery School Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 2HT	Tuesdays, 9am - 12.30pm Starting 5th January - 9th March 2027	26ASF060
Event Planning: Catering and Hospitality	Develop your event planning and hospitality skills with a creative baking and sugarcraft twist! Throughout this practical course, you'll gain hands-on experience in planning, preparing and delivering an event, exploring everything from organisation and coordination to catering, hospitality, baking and presentation. Learners will work towards a Level 2 Certificate in Event Planning.	ATTIC Kitchen, Sutton Community Academy, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BW	Wednesdays and Fridays, 9am - 3pm *(must attend both days)* Starting 6th January until 5th March 2027	26ASF047

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Tai Chi for Wellness and Relaxation	A weekly tai chi class suitable for all levels supporting you to feel relaxed and refreshed.	ATTFE College's Community Hub, Idlewells Shopping Centre, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BN	Fridays, 9am - 11am Starting 8th January - 19th March 2027	26TL017
Level 1 Award in Building Personal Resilience	The Level 1 Award in Building Personal Resilience helps learners develop the personal skills needed to overcome challenges, adapt to change, and maintain positive wellbeing. This qualification focuses on building confidence, self-awareness, motivation, and emotional resilience to support personal and professional success.	ATTFE College's Community Hub, Idlewells Shopping Centre, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BN	Mondays, 9.30am - 2.30pm Starting 13th - 27th January 2027	26ASF117
Work Ready, Employability Skills	This 3-week intense course will support individuals looking to move into employment to work on a range of employability skills required for the workplace. Our inclusive tutor will also support individuals attending with interview skills and techniques. Through the duration of the course you will complete a Level 1 Certificate in Occupational Studies.	Adult Learning, Sutton Community Academy, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BW	Mondays to Thursdays, 9.30am - 2.30pm (4 days per week) Starting 4th - 21st January 2027	26ASF186

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Preparing to Work in Schools	This 3-week condensed course is a knowledge-based qualification designed for individuals wanting to explore working in an educational or school setting. During the course you will complete a L1 Award in Preparing to Work in Schools plus L1 Award in Safeguarding in a Learning Environment.	Adult Learning, Sutton Community Academy, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BW	Mondays to Thursdays, 9.30am - 2.30pm (4 days per week) Starting 18th January - 4th February 2027	26ASF187
Level 1 Certifcate in Garden Design	Learners will explore design ideas, plants and planting schemes, garden features, landscaping concepts, and environmental considerations while developing creativity and practical planning skills.	ATTFE College's Community Hub, Idlewells Shopping Centre, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BN	Mondays, 9.30am - 2.30pm Starting 3rd February - 9th June 2027	26ASF118
Support Work in Schools and Colleges	This 3-week course will support learners to complete a Level 2 Award in Support Work in Schools and Colleges designed to support individuals looking to progress into a career as a teaching assistant, learning support assistant or general support worker.	Adult Learning, Sutton Community Academy, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BW	Mondays to Thursdays, 9.30am - 2.30pm (4 days per week) Starting 22nd February - 11th March 2027	26ASF188

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Support Work in Schools and Colleges	This 3-week course will support learners to complete a Level 2 Award in Support Work in Schools and Colleges designed to support individuals looking to progress into a career as a teaching assistant, learning support assistant or general support worker.	Adult Learning, Sutton Community Academy, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BW	Mondays to Thursdays, 9.30am - 2.30pm (4 days per week) Starting 22nd February - 11th March 2027	26ASF188
Fun Together - Family Cooking and Wellbeing Skills	Enjoy quality family time while learning about healthy eating, wellbeing and cooking through fun games, activities and weekly cooking sessions. Suitable for families with children aged 7–16 (younger siblings are welcome). Parents/carers must attend and take part, with the opportunity to gain a Level 1 Award in Nutrition and Health. Flexible start times are available to accommodate school pick-up. Please provide details of any food allergies or dietary requirements, and the number of children attending, when booking.	ATTIC Kitchen & Sutton Community Academy, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BW	Tuesdays, 3.30pm - 6pm Starting 23rd February - 25th May 2027 (term-time only)	26ASF175
Eat Well, Feel Good for 18-24 Years	Want to build your cooking skills and learn more about healthy eating? This interactive 15-week course will give you the opportunity to try new recipes, develop practical cooking skills and explore healthy nutrition, while working towards a Level 1 Award in Health and Nutrition. Please let us know about any food allergies or special dietary requirements when booking.	Kirkby Sales & Exchange 80 Station Street Kirkby in Ashfield, NG17 7AP	Tuesdays, 11am - 2pm Starting 23rd February - 25th May 2027	26ASF177

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Level 1 Award in Volunteering	The Level 1 Award in Volunteering is ideal for individuals who want to contribute to their community while developing practical skills, confidence, and experience. This qualification provides learners with an introduction to volunteering and the positive impact it can have on individuals, organisations, and society.	Adult Learning, Sutton Community Academy, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BW	Thursdays, 9am - 2pm Starting 4th - 25th March 2027	26ASF163
Fast Track - Level 2 Counselling Skills	This course aims to introduce learners into the use of counselling skills in their everyday life of work. The course is classroom based and is for learners who are keen to undertake counselling in more detail and is designed to give learners the underpinning knowledge, practical skills and competencies to use counselling skills ethically and safely in different contexts and roles.	Portland Pathways, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 4AX	Tuesdays, 9.30am - 2.30pm Starting 2nd March until 20th July 2027	26ASF004
Level 3 Certificate in Applied Counselling Studies	This qualification is designed for learners who have already achieved a recognised counselling skills qualification and are ready to take the next step towards becoming a professional counsellor. The course will deepen your understanding of counselling theory, ethics and mental health, while helping you develop the practical skills, self-awareness and professional knowledge needed for counselling practice. It also provides valuable preparation for working as a counsellor within an agency setting and supports progression towards professional counselling practice.	Portland Pathways, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 4AX	Mondays, 9.30am - 2.30pm Starting 1st March until 19th July 2027	26LCB010

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Supporting Your Children to Develop and Grow	Support your child's early learning and development with this engaging course for parents and carers of children aged 0–5 years. You'll gain the skills, knowledge, and confidence to support your child's development through topics such as communication and language, social development, and the importance of positive play. As part of the course, adults will work towards an Entry Level 3 Award in Childcare. This course is open to the wider community, so you do not need to have a child attending the school to take part. All resources are provided.	Brierley Forest Primary and Nursery School Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 2HT	Tuesdays, 9am - 12.30pm Starting 16th March - 22nd June 2027	26ASF061
Mindfulness and Tai Chi	Tai chi is a great exercise to focus your mind relieving you from the stresses of daily life. Join us for this weekly class delivered by our expert Tai Chi Master Ken.	ATTFE College's Community Hub, Idlewells Shopping Centre, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BN	Fridays, 9am - 11am Starting 16th April - 16th July 2027	26TL018

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Progression to Employment: Retail Skills	This course introduces individuals to the core skills and knowledge required for working in the Retail Sector. During the 3 week course learners will complete a Level 1 Certificate in Retail Knowledge, great to add to your CV if you are looking to apply for roles in this sector.	Adult Learning, Sutton Community Academy, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BW	Mondays to Thursdays, 9.30am - 2.30pm (4 days per week) Starting 12th - 29th April 2027	26ASF189
Preparing to Work in Schools	This 3-week condensed course is a knowledge-based qualification designed for individuals wanting to explore working in an educational or school setting. During the course you will complete a L1 Award in Preparing to Work in Schools plus L1 Award in Safeguarding in a Learning Environment.	Adult Learning, Sutton Community Academy, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BW	Mondays to Thursdays, 9.30am - 2.30pm (4 days per week) Starting 10th - 27th May 2027	26ASF190
Support Work in Schools and Colleges	This 3-week course will support learners to complete a Level 2 Award in Support Work in Schools and Colleges designed to support individuals looking to progress into a career as a teaching assistant, learning support assistant or general support worker.	Adult Learning, Sutton Community Academy, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BW	Mondays to Thursdays, 9.30am - 2.30pm (4 days per week) Starting 7th - 24th June 2027	26ASF191

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Family Course: Transition to Secondary School	This 7-week course is designed to help Year 6 pupils and their families feel more confident about the move to secondary school. Children will explore Sutton Community Academy, meet school staff and connect with other pupils and families, while taking part in fun games, crafts and activities. Parents and carers will attend with their children and have the opportunity to complete a Level 1 Award in Stress Awareness, developing strategies to support their wellbeing during the transition. Younger siblings are welcome. Please let us know about any food allergies or dietary requirements and how many children will be attending when booking.	Sutton Community Academy, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BW	Tuesdays, 3.30pm - 6pm Starting 8th June - 20th July 2027 A staggered start time between 3.30pm and 4pm will allow families time to arrive after school pick-up.	26ASF178
Positive Mental Health and Confidence Skills for 18-24 Years	This fun and interactive sessions will be delivered by our inclusive and friendly tutor Millie. During each weekly session you will take part in activities to boost your confidence and learn more about how to support positive mental wellbeing. You will complete a L1 Award in Mental Health Awareness throughout the duration of the course.	ATTFE College Lifelong Learning Space, 15 Kingsway, Kirkby in Ashfield, NG17 7BB	Tuesdays, 11am - 2pm Starting 8th June - 13th July 2027	26ASF179

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Functional Skills: English *February 2027 Start*	Develop your English skills in a friendly, supportive learning environment with guidance from our experienced tutors. You'll complete an initial assessment at the start of the course, allowing us to tailor your learning and support you at the level that's right for you. Learners will attend one day per week. Your allocated group and attendance day will be confirmed following your initial assessment.	Adult Learning, Sutton Community Academy, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BW	Mondays, 9:15am - 2:45pm Starting 15th February - 10th May 2027 ***OR*** Tuesdays, 9:15am - 2:45pm Starting 16th February - 11th May 2027	**Mondays:** 26ASF023 **Tuesdays:** 26ASF024
Functional Skills: English *May 2027 Start*	Develop your English skills in a friendly, supportive learning environment with guidance from our experienced tutors. You'll complete an initial assessment at the start of the course, allowing us to tailor your learning and support you at the level that's right for you. Learners will attend one day per week. Your allocated group and attendance day will be confirmed following your initial assessment.	Adult Learning, Sutton Community Academy, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BW	Mondays, 9:15am - 2:45pm Starting 17th May - 19th July 2027 ***OR*** Tuesdays, 9:15am - 2:45pm Starting 18th May - 20th July 2027	**Mondays:** 26ASF025 **Tuesdays:** 26ASF026

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Functional Skills: Maths *February 2027 Start*	Develop your Maths skills in a friendly, supportive learning environment with guidance from our experienced tutors. You'll complete an initial assessment at the start of the course, allowing us to tailor your learning and support you at the level that's right for you. Learners will attend one day per week. Your allocated group and attendance day will be confirmed following your initial assessment.	Adult Learning, Sutton Community Academy, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BW	Mondays, 9:15am - 2:45pm Starting 15th February - 10th May 2027 ***OR*** Tuesdays, 9:15am - 2:45pm Starting 16th February - 11th May 2027	**Mondays:** 26ASF015 **Tuesdays:** 26ASF016
Functional Skills: Maths *May 2027 Start*	Develop your Maths skills in a friendly, supportive learning environment with guidance from our experienced tutors. You'll complete an initial assessment at the start of the course, allowing us to tailor your learning and support you at the level that's right for you. Learners will attend one day per week. Your allocated group and attendance day will be confirmed following your initial assessment.	Adult Learning, Sutton Community Academy, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BW	Mondays, 9:15am - 2:45pm Starting 17th May - 19th July 2027 ***OR*** Tuesdays, 9:15am - 2:45pm Starting 18th May - 20th July 2027	**Mondays:** 26ASF017 **Tuesdays:** 26ASF018

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More Confident Me: English Skills (non-accredited) *February 2027 Start*	These weekly sessions are suited for individuals who need to build their confidence with everyday English skills and are the ideal starting point for learners who are not yet ready to attend our Functional Skills English courses. Topics covered will include: Reading and writing the alphabet, spelling basic words, using basic punctuation like full stops and capital letters, and reading and writing short sentences. This is an ideal progression to our accredited Functional Skills courses.	ATTFE College's Community Hub, Idlewells Shopping Centre, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BN	Thursdays, 9.15am - 11.45am Starting 18th February - 13th May 2027	26TL023
More Confident Me: English Skills (non-accredited) *May 2027 Start*	These weekly sessions are suited for individuals who need to build their confidence with everyday English skills and are the ideal starting point for learners who are not yet ready to attend our Functional Skills English courses. Topics covered will include: Reading and writing the alphabet, spelling basic words, using basic punctuation like full stops and capital letters, and reading and writing short sentences. This is an ideal progression to our accredited Functional Skills courses.	ATTFE College's Community Hub, Idlewells Shopping Centre, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BN	Thursdays, 9.15am - 11.45am Starting 20th May - 8th July 2027	26TL025

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More Confident Me: Maths Skills (non-accredited) *February 2027 Start*	These weekly sessions are suited for individuals who need to build their confidence with everyday maths skills and are the ideal starting point for learners who are not yet ready to attend our Functional Skills Maths courses. Topics covered will include: simple addition and subtraction, common measures, space and shape, reading information from lists, and drawing basic tally charts. This is an ideal progression to our accredited Functional Skills courses.	ATTFE College's Community Hub, Idlewells Shopping Centre, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BN	Thursdays, 12.15pm - 2.45pm Starting 18th February - 13th May 2027	26TL024
More Confident Me: Maths Skills (non-accredited) *May 2027 Start*	These weekly sessions are suited for individuals who need to build their confidence with everyday maths skills and are the ideal starting point for learners who are not yet ready to attend our Functional Skills Maths courses. Topics covered will include: simple addition and subtraction, common measures, space and shape, reading information from lists, and drawing basic tally charts. This is an ideal progression to our accredited Functional Skills courses.	ATTFE College's Community Hub, Idlewells Shopping Centre, Sutton-in-Ashfield, NG17 1BN	Thursdays, 12.15pm - 2.45pm Starting 20th May - 8th July 2027	26TL026

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